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1. New armaments plant near Unicov: The location of this plant is indicated by the circled number one, Enclosure (A). It is possible that the actual position of this enterprise will differ slightly from the coordinates as given.

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The armaments plant was erected between the towns of Unicov and Sternberk, supposedly because this area is known to have continual air turbulences. Several aircraft had crashed in the vicinity, and the Communists estimated that, because of the prevailing conditions, this location would not be vulnerable to bombing in case of war. Several large shops comprise the armaments factory.

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some of the buildings are constructed over large underground workshops. The construction was begun in 1950, and in the summer of 1952 the enterprise was in full production.

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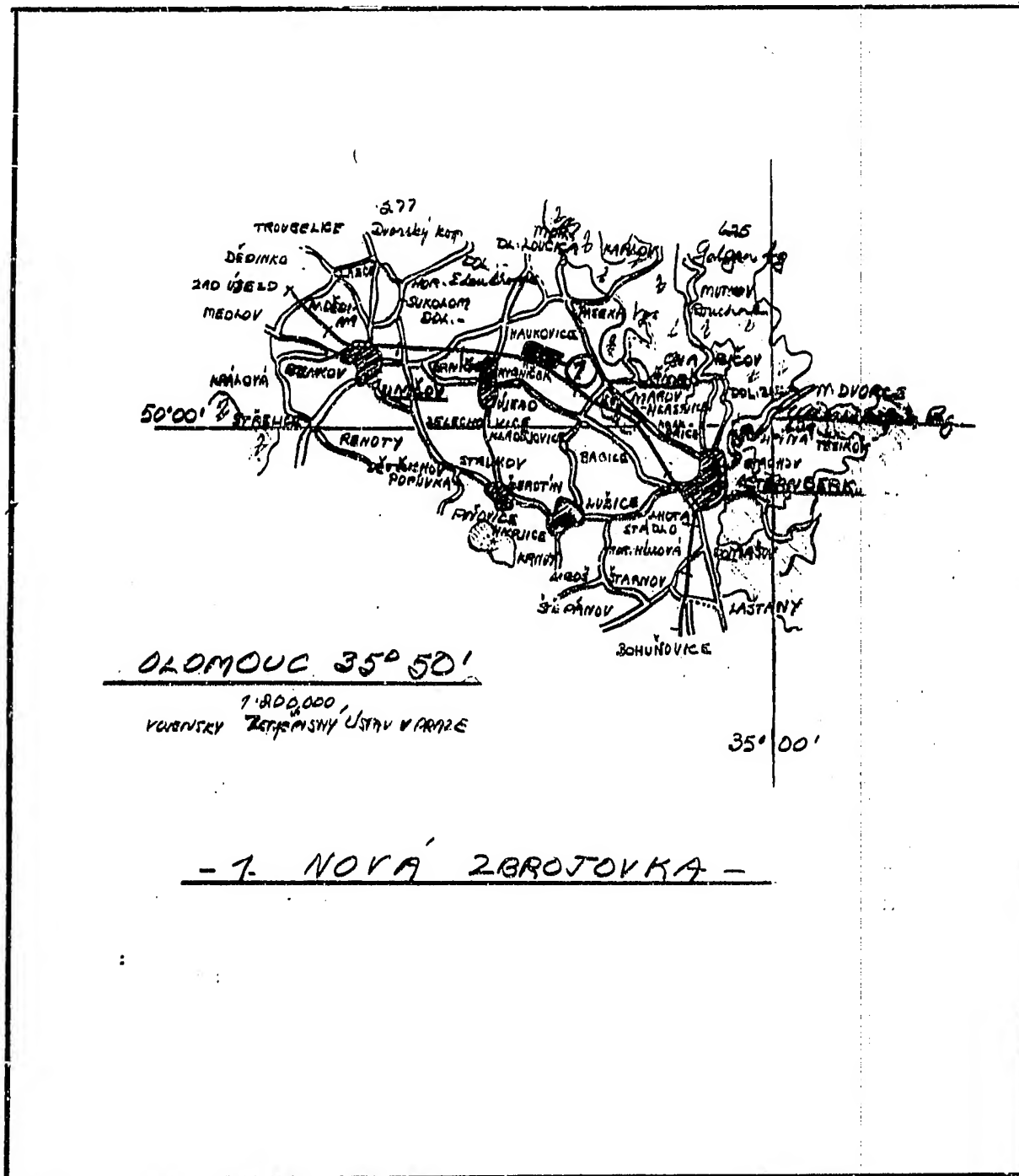
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